

Remarks

Amendments to the Claims

Entry of the above amendments is respectfully requested. Claim 24 has been amended by addition of the definition of variables B, E and R<sup>4</sup>. Support for this amendment is in original claims 1-2 and in the specification as filed. Applicants submit that no new matter has been introduced by these amendments.

Election/Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C §121

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C §121 Applicants elect the following species: (-)-*Cis*-6-phenyl-5-[4-(2-pyrrolidin-1-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-5,6,7,8-tetrahydro-naphthalen-2-ol, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. The election of species made above reads on claims 23-26. It is submitted that Applicants have fully complied with the Examiner's restriction requirement. Early examination and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

Conclusion

Applicants believe that, in view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks made above, this application is in condition for allowance. Entry of the amendments to the claims and reconsideration and allowance of claims 23-26, as amended, is respectfully requested.

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